

## Key Spellings

non-fiction	biography
autobiography	chronology
explanation	summarise
advice/advise	persuasion
author	article
tabloid	broadsheet
bias	prejudice
subjective	objective

## Key Facts about Autobiographies

auto = Latin for 'self'

bio = Latin for 'life'

graph = Latin for 'writing/written'

**An autobiography is an account of someone's own life.**

**Recounts anecdotes and facts about their past, and hopes for future.**

**Combines factual information with descriptions.**

# Year 7: Read All About It!

## Non-fiction Text Purposes:

What are we writing the text to do?

PERSUADE

EXPLAIN

INFORM

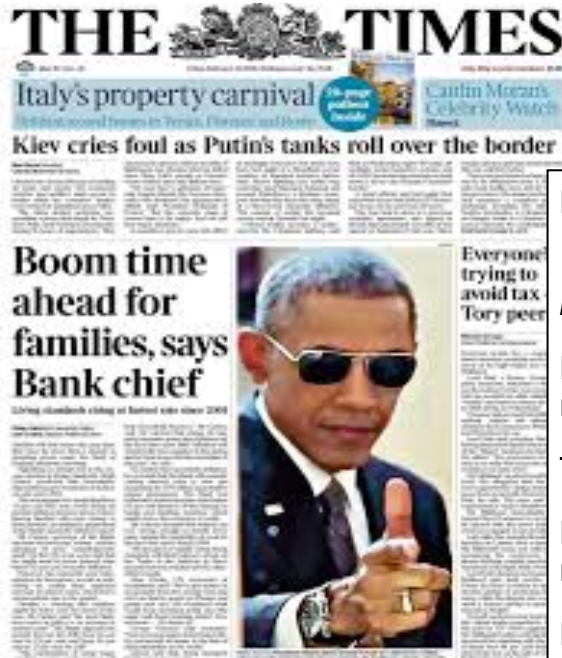
ADVISE

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ARGUE

SUMMARISE

JUSTIFY



**Broadsheet newspapers: 'quality' or 'serious' press**

More text, fewer pictures

Political, economic and more serious news is reported

Tend to be politically biased

Font is smaller and headlines are more factual

Less gossip and more 'real' news

Designed to appeal to more educated readership, requiring a reading age of 15 to fully access all the material



**Tabloid newspapers: 'popular' press**

Less text, more pictures

Tend to be right or left wing biased

Font is large and headlines are amusing, full of alliteration or outraged in tone

More gossip and less 'real' news

Designed to appeal to range of readers but require a reading age of only 5 to access the text, so mostly aimed at people with lower levels of post-16 education